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11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
12 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
13 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION  
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15 NETWORK APPLIANCE, INC.,  
16 Plaintiff – Counterclaim  
Defendant,  
17 v.  
18 SUN MICROSYSTEMS, INC.,  
19 Defendant -  
20 Counterclaimant.  
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CASE NO. 3:07-CV-06053 EDL (JCS)

**DECLARATION OF GRAHAM LOVELL IN  
SUPPORT OF SUN MICROSYSTEMS,  
INC.'S REPLY IN SUPPORT OF MOTION  
FOR PARTIAL STAY OF THE CASE  
PENDING REEXAMINATION OF UNITED  
STATES PATENT NOS. 5,819,292, 6,857,001  
AND 6,892,211**

**Date: May 13, 2008  
Time: 9:00 a.m.  
Courtroom: E, 15th Floor  
Hon. Elizabeth D. Laporte**

22 I, Graham Lovell, declare as follows:

- 23 1. I am currently the Senior Director of Marketing for Storage Servers and  
24 Appliances for Sun Microsystems, Inc. ("Sun") and have been since September,  
25 2007. Prior to that, I was employed by Sun from July, 1989 through October,  
26 2006. During that time, I also served as a Senior Director of Marketing and held  
27 various director and managerial roles, including managing the market share and  
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1 customer appeal of the Solaris operating system. I have personal knowledge of the  
2 following facts, and if called as a witness, could and would testify thereto.

- 3 2. Sun's Zettabyte File System ("ZFS") was first publicly announced on or about  
4 November, 2004. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of a  
5 technical white paper, dated November, 2004, available on Sun's public website,  
6 that discusses the ZFS technology.  
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8 3. ZFS was first released to the general public with Open Solaris 10, build 27a, on  
9 November 16, 2005.

10 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the  
11 foregoing is true and correct. Executed on May 2, 2008 in Austin, Texas.

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14 Graham Lovell